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Subject: RE: NEPA Compliance meeting - NRCS RCPP and USACE projects on the Grand River, MI

Importance: High

Thanks to all who have responded – I wanted to follow-up with a few things:

- 1. It was brought to my attention that time zones weren't showing in the original link since EPA is on central time and Michigan folks are on Eastern (thanks, Scott). I've updated the invite so it should show you the time slots in your current time zone. We have 8am (central) start times proposed all the way through the rest of the day for the next two weeks.
- 2. Kim Wieber from NRCS isn't available next week (May 20th), which limits our availability to the week of Memorial Day (or the week after, if that is possible).
- 3. Because of NRCS constraints, I've added on the week of June 3-7 for potential meeting dates. I've also added in the 12pm hour (central), 1pm eastern, to give more flexibility.
- 4. Charlie, Kim, Jess, Scott, and Ken can you add your availability the week of June 3-7?
- 5. **Jason, Betsy, Kristian, Dan** can you please add your availability to the calendar? I didn't see that you'd responded.

If you don't need redundancy at your agency, and don't need to be on this call, please let me know via a quick email response.

Again, here's the link to the event calendar: http://whenisgood.net/NEPAmeeting

Thanks, Liz

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Subject: Proposing a NEPA Compliance meeting - NRCS RCPP and USACE projects on the Grand River, MI

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Federal partners and GLFC staff,

EPA would like to set up a 60-min conference call in May to discuss NEPA compliance and NEPA Roles and Responsibilities for USDA-NRCS and USACE regarding the Grand River Restoration Initiatives.

This will relate to the conversations EPA has already had with NRCS and USACE regarding NEPA commitments and the overlap between the NRCS RCPP and the USACE project on the Grand River.

I am out of the office all next week and most of the week of May 13th. As such, I'm proposing we hold a meeting during the week of May 20-25 or the following week (May 28-31).

It's critical that we have representation from NRCS, USACE, GLFC, and, ideally, USFWS (since they are a cooperating agency) in the call. I am leaving state partners off this invite as this discussion relates solely to NEPA compliance.

This link will show you proposed times for a one hour meeting when EPA staff are available to meet. http://whenisgood.net/NEPAmeeting

All you need to do is add your name, and click on the times that you are available.

Once there is a date where we're all available, I'll send out a meeting request with call-in information.

Thanks much, Liz Pelloso

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